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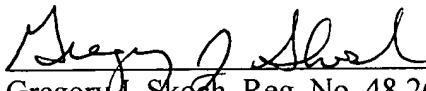
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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT
FOR PATENT OFFICE'S MISTAKE (37 C.F.R. §1.322)


An error exists in the above patent. The middle initial of one of the inventors, James R. Harte is incorrect. In field (75) on the cover page, the inventor's name is spelled "James A. Harte". The filing receipt shows the correct middle initial of the applicant's name, a copy of which is attached hereto. This error is typographical in nature and does not introduce new matter which would require reexamination. Attached hereto, in duplicate, is Form PTO-1050, with a copy being suitable for printing.

The Declaration filed in this application was corrected by Mr. Harte to show his middle initial is "R" and this correction was acknowledged by the Office when issuing the official filing receipt. Furthermore, Mr. Harte's middle initial was noted correctly on each office action including the notice of allowance and issue fee transmittal. Applicants submit that the error with Mr. Harte's name is due to the Office's mistake and kindly request issuance of a Certificate of Correction.

Any fee due in connection with this petition should be applied against Deposit Account 19-0522.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In field (75), replace "James A. Harte" with --James R. Harte--.

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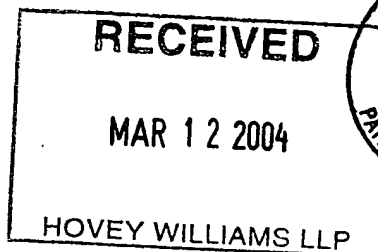


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